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IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claims 1 and 8 are amended as follows:

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1. (Twice Amended) A connection unit for use with a computer and connectable to a network, said connection unit comprising:
means, responsive to receipt of a predetermined wake-up packet via said network, for generating a predetermined signal; and
means, responsive to said predetermined signal, for persistently displaying the receipt of said predetermined wake-up packet utilizing a dedicated display, wherein said dedicated display is only utilized to indicate receipt of said predetermined wake-up packet.

2. (Unchanged) The connection unit as recited in Claim 1, wherein said computer is not connected to said connection unit.

3. (Unchanged) The connection unit as recited in Claim 2 further comprises means, responsive to the receipt of said predetermined wake-up packet, for displaying the non-connection of said computer.

4. (Unchanged) The connection unit as recited in Claim 1 or 2, wherein said predetermined wake-up packet includes an instruction for causing a power supply of said computer to be remotely turned on.

5. (Unchanged) The connection unit as recited in Claim 1 or 2, wherein said network is a local area network (LAN).

6. (Unchanged) The connection unit as recited in Claim 1 or 2, wherein said displaying means comprises a liquid crystal display (LCD).

7. (Unchanged) The connection unit as recited in Claim 1 or 2 further comprising means for resetting said means for persistently displaying the receipt of said predetermined wake-up packet.

8. (Twice Amended) A network system comprising:
a network; and
a terminal apparatus connectable to said network, said terminal apparatus including:
means, responsive to receipt of a predetermined wake-up packet via said network, for generating a predetermined signal; and
dedicated display means, responsive to said predetermined signal, for persistently displaying the receipt of said predetermined wake-up packet wherein said dedicated display means is only utilized to indicate receipt of said predetermined wake-up packet.

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1 9. (Unchanged) The network system as recited in Claim 8, wherein said terminal apparatus
2 is a portable equipment.

1 10. (Unchanged) An apparatus coupled to a network via a communication adapter, said
2 apparatus comprising:
3 means, responsive to receipt by said communication adapter of predetermined information
4 via said network, for generating a predetermined signal; and
5 means, responsive to said predetermined signal, for persistently displaying the receipt of said
6 predetermined information from said network.

1 11. (Unchanged) A computer system having a computer that changes from a power-save
2 mode or a power-off state to a normal operation mode due to a plurality of factors, said computer
3 system comprising:
4 means for generating a signal indicating occurrence of a predetermined factor among said
5 plurality of factors;
6 means, responsive to said signal indicating the occurrence of said predetermined factor, for
7 persistently displaying the generation of said signal;
8 means for stopping displaying of said displaying means; and
9 means, responsive to a predetermined condition, for resetting said displaying means.